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Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

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Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. 609, it is requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official communication.

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
						YES	NO
	EP 1074617	02/07/2001	EP				
	WO 00/55332	09/21/2000	PCT				
	WO 00/70028	11/23/2000	PCT				
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	WO 01/31029	05/03/2001	PCT				

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)		
		Wilson, R.K., Nov. 27, 1996, GenBank Accession No. AA232646



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